

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: Kei Roger Aoki, et al.

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For: USE OF THE NEUROTOXIC  
COMPONENT OF A BOTULINUM  
TOXIN FOR TREATING A SPASTIC  
MUSCLE

Examiner: Anish Gupta

Group Art Unit: 1654

Confirmation No.: 4172

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Commissioner for Patents

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**REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING**

Under the provisions of 37 CFR §41.47(b), appellant respectfully requests an oral hearing. Please charge Deposit Account No. 01-0885 for \$1080 for the fee.

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Respectfully submitted,

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